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A Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on January 11, 2008 in patent application Serial Number 10/644,081 was sent in error, and is hereby WITHDRAWN. The application is being forwarded to the examiner for appropriate action.

Any inconvenience occasioned by the error is regretted. Applicant's representative is hereby thanked for bringing this error to the PTO's attention.

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